



## Ashley Wright

Associate

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Ashley Wright is a skilled litigator who aggressively defends matters involving personal injury, premises liability, wrongful death, negligent security and motor vehicle accident liability.

As a former in-house attorney for one of the largest automobile insurance companies in the United States, Ashley established a track record of investigating, negotiating and closing hundreds of high-value settlements within a six-month period. Ashley thrives in high-pressure situations and approaches every case with a strategic mindset that is both adaptive and solution-oriented. Her reputation for excellence and tenacity solidifies her position at the forefront of litigation strategy, ensuring top-tier advocacy for her clients.

Prior to joining Wilson Elser, Ashley served as an Assistant Statewide Prosecutor with the Florida Attorney General's Office of Statewide Prosecution. In her prosecutorial career, Ashley has investigated and prosecuted multi-circuit, organized crime against the State of Florida ranging from organized fraud and money laundering to drug trafficking and racketeering. Having successfully tried more than 35 trials from jury selection to verdict, Ashley has developed a reputation for crafting and presenting compelling legal arguments that resonate with judges and juries alike.

Beyond her practice, Ashley is recognized as a dedicated leader within the legal community. She consistently contributes her expertise to professional organizations and initiatives that serve to advance the legal profession, promote ethical standards and elevate the legal landscape as a whole.

### Education

- University of Georgia School of Law (J.D., 2015)

### Services

- Complex Tort & General Casualty
- Transportation
- Construction

- University of Florida (B.S. Psychology, *cum laude*, 2012)

### **Bar Admissions**

- Florida

### **Court Admissions**

- U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida

### **Professional Affiliations**

- Orange County Bar Association, Young Lawyers Section, Board of Directors
- Paul C. Perkins Bar Association, Past President
- Central Florida Association of Women Lawyers
- Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

### **Awards & Honors**

- Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division Board of Governors, 9th Circuit, Seat 2
- Florida Bar Wm. Reece Smith Jr. Leadership Academy Fellow, Class IX
- Ms./Mrs. Corporate America Organization, Winning Woman Award, 2022
- Florida Commission on the Status of Women, Spirit of Community Award, 2022

## **Client Wins**

### **Moise and Wright Win Summary Judgment for Bowling Center Clients in Florida Premises Liability Case**

Krystal Yearwood Moise (Partner-Orlando) and Ashley Wright (Associate-Orlando) secured a complete summary judgment in Sarasota County Court, Sarasota, FL, on behalf of Wilson Elser's bowling company clients in a premises liability action arising from a reported trip and fall at a Sarasota County bowling center. The plaintiff claimed a dangerous condition at the facility's entrance caused the fall and resulting injuries, which required surgical intervention. Following discovery, Krystal and Ashley filed a motion for summary judgment, asserting that the record was devoid of any evidence demonstrating the existence of a hazardous condition at the time of the incident or establishing that our clients had actual or constructive notice of any such alleged condition. The court granted the Wilson Elser team's motion for summary judgment in its entirety, finding no evidence of a hazardous condition at the time of the fall, and directed entry of final judgment in the clients' favor, with taxable costs to be determined.